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SUBJ: PRODUCT OPPORTUNITY: GOT TENDER FOR MATCHES

1. THE DIRECTOR OF INTERNATIONAL SERVICES FOR DIAMOND INTERNATIONAL SERVICES CORPORATION (PARENT FOR DIAMOND MATCH) HAS RESPONDED TO A TENDER OF 9 SEPT FROM THE MINISTER OF FINANCE, REGIE NATIONALE TABOCS DT DES ALLUMETTES FOR APPROX DOL US2M WORTH OF MATCHES SPECIALY PACKAGED IN WOOD VENEER PACKAGES. AT THE TIME OF SUBMISSION BY DIAMOND, THEY ADVISED GOT THAT THEY DO NOT PRODUCE 50 MATCHES PER BOX, BUT DO PACKAGE 35 PER BOX AND WOULD BE PLEASED TO BID IF THE SPECIFICATIONS WERE CHANGED ACCORDINGLY. DIAMOND APPARENTLY IN COMPLIANCE WITH SPECIFICATIONS ALL OTHER AREAS. BID DEADLINE IS 21 OCT 1974.

2. TO DATE A REPLY TO THE DIAMOND LETTER HAS NOT BEEN RECEIVED. REQUEST ASSISTANCE IN ASCERTAINING IF GOT WILLING TO CHANGE SPECIFICATIONS TO PERMIT DIAMOND TO BE RESPONSIVE. FYI DIAMOND ONLY SUPPLIER OF THESE WOOD VENEER BOXES ON A HIGH PRODUCTION RATE BASIS. ALSO, A MINIMAL BID DEALINE EXTENSION
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WILL BE NECESSARY IF RESPONSE BY DIAMOND IS DESIRED.

PLEASE ADVISE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. INGERSOLL

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